RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL HEARINGS SECTION

OIL AND GAS DOCKET NO. 06-0273280 IN THE CARTHAGE (HAYNESVILLE SHALE) FIELD, GREGG, HARRISON, NACOGDOCHES, PANOLA, RUSK, SABINE, SAN AUGUSTINE AND SHELBY COUNTIES, TEXAS

FINAL ORDER MAKING THE TEMPORARY FIELD RULES PERMANENT FOR THE CARTHAGE (HAYNESVILLE SHALE) FIELD GREGG, HARRISON, NACOGDOCHES, PANOLA, RUSK, SABINE, SAN AUGUSTINE AND SHELBY COUNTIES, TEXAS

The Commission finds that after statutory notice in the above numbered docket heard on December 16, 2011, the presiding examiner has made and filed a report and recommendation containing findings of fact and conclusions of law, for which service was not required; that the proposed application is in compliance with all statutory requirements; and that this proceeding was duly submitted to the Railroad Commission of Texas at conference held in its offices in Austin, Texas.

The Commission, after review and due consideration of the examiner's report and recommendation, the findings of fact and conclusions of law contained therein, hereby adopts as its own the findings of fact and conclusions of law contained therein, and incorporates said findings of fact and conclusions of law as if fully set out and separately stated herein.

Therefore, it is **ORDERED** by the Railroad Commission of Texas that the Temporary Field Rules adopted in Final Order No. 06-0262000, effective December 15, 2009, for the Carthage (Haynesville Shale) Field, Gregg, Harrison, Nacogdoches, Panola, Rusk, Sabine, San Augustine and Shelby Counties, Texas, are hereby made permanent. Any reference to the temporary duration of the Field Rules is hereby **DELETED**.

Done this 24th day of January, 2012.

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS

(Order approved and signatures affixed by OGC Unprotested Master Order dated January 24, 2012)